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not every capitalist, be prompt to offer to loan his funds at interest however low rather than let them remain idle? You know they would.

This country today affords an object lesson of this. In those parts of the country where the people believe that our currency is safe, and that no change in its standard is likely to take place, plenty of money can be had at 4 and 5 per cent, while in those parts of the country in which the people are confident that free coinage legislation will be had, and that a loan made for any long time ahead may be repaid in depreciated silver, there is scarcely a place where you can borrow money on any long time at all or even short time at less rates than 6 or 8 per cent. Free silver would not add a dollar to the real wealth of the west or south. But the apprehension of it has kept from those sections of the country the millions upon millions of capital that, had they been invested there, might have made such prosperity as the world has not seen since the sun shone upon Eden.—Hon. John De Witt Warner.

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"Right you are, boss. If you'd stake me to a hundred now!" "I'll do better than that," said the philanthropist. "I'll try this Detroit free land idea. You shall have a couple of acres to start with."

"Seems 'most too good to be true, boss," exclaimed the tramp. "What kin I sell it for?" "Sell it! Sell it! You can't sell it," "Then 'tain't no good to me," returned the tramp.

"Why, certainly it is. You can work it—raise vegetables and all that, you know, and make yourself self supporting."

"Work it?" "Certainly!" "Work it?" "Of course."

"If I reckon we'd better part right here," said the tramp. "I ain't never worked nothin' but a man. I'm ambitious all right, an if you've got anything I kin look for the price of a beer I'm your horsehook, but you can't catch me on no free land deal. I'm for free silver first."—Chicago Post.

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BUNYAN ON SILVER.



Now, at the farther side of that plain was a little hill called Enore, and in that hill a silver mine, which some of them that had formerly gone to work, because of the rarity of it, had turned aside to see; but, going too near the brink of the pit, the ground being deceitful under them heels, and they were slain. Some, also, had been maimed there and could not to their dying day be their own men again.

Then I saw in my dream that a little off the road, over against the silver mine, stood Demas, gentlemanlike, to call to passengers to come and see, who said to Christian and his fellow, "Ho; turn aside hither, and I will show you a thing."

Christian—What things so deserving as to turn us out of the way? Demas—Here is a silver mine and some digging in it for treasure. If you will come, with a little pains you may provide richly for yourselves.

Then Christian called to Demas, saying: "Is not this place dangerous? Hath it not hindered many in their pilgrimage?" Demas—Not very dangerous except to those that are careless.

But withal he blushed as he spoke. Christian—What is the name? Is it not by the which I have called thee? Demas—Yes, my name is Demas. I am the son of Abraham.

Christian—I know you. Gehazi was your great-grandfather and Judas your father, and you have trod their steps.

CROSSROADS LOGIC.

AN OLD LETTER FROM PETROLEUM V. NASBY.

Cheap Money Wouldn't Buy More Whisky—How Bascom Would Equalize Matters—The Corners could stand Diluted Currency, but Not Weak Liquor.

"Too, G. W." was my answer, "but can't you see that to have silver wood relieve the dollar class? Even now, afore it is legal tender, it's only with 92 cents on the dollar, and when the country is flooded with it it will go still lower. Then we, or rather sich uv us ez hev property to raise money on, kin pay off."

"Reggally so," retorts Bascom: "you kin pay me for the good, honest likker uv mine w'ich hev consumed in coin w'ich is less than the dollar you promised. All rite. But look here—come in here all uv you. I want you silver men to know exactly w'at you are rushin into."

And this feend led us into the back room—that back room w'ich contains the substance uv the Corners. There, in long rows, wuz Bascom's stock. There, in barrels, piled one on top uv another, wuz the delishus whisky uv Louisville, uv different ages, rangin from that uv two weeks old to that w'ich hed jist left the still and wuz scarcely cold yet. There it lay, and ez my eye ranged affectuonately over it I felt I could hev the drinkin uv all that likker I wud be content to lay down and die when the last drop wuz gone.

Bascom p'inted to an immense tank w'ich hed erected within a few days, with a pipe runnin in from the roof. "I shan't raise the price uv likker in consequence uv bein paid for it in a depreciated currency," sed he. "I fell on Bascom's neck in an entree w'ich hed jist left the still and wuz scarcely cold yet. There it lay, and ez my eye ranged affectuonately over it I felt I could hev the drinkin uv all that likker I wud be content to lay down and die when the last drop wuz gone."

"G. W., I remark, while tears suffused my eyes, 'I never placed you much below the angels, but this generations act has histid you a hundred per cent in my esteem. Bless you, G. W., bless you!'"

"But I'll tell you w'at I shud do. Do you see that tank?" sed he. "May I ask w'at that is for?" I sed. "That tank will fill with rane water," sed he. "The moment you git to payin me in silver I shud take out uv each uv them barrels jist eggactly three and one-half gallons uv likker and fill it w' water."

"Merciful heavings!" we all exclaimed, "and your likker so weak now!" "And when silver gits down to 75 cents on the dollar I shud take out 25 per cent uv whisky and fill her up with 25 per cent uv water, and so on down. Ef silver goes up, I shud add whisky eggactly in proportion. In short, my whisky is jist a-goin to foller currency and nothin shorter. You fellows w'ich work for wagis may sweet, but I won't."

"But you'll increase the size uv your glasses," sed I.

"Not any. But you may drink twice ez many times to git the same amount uv drunk ez before by payin for each drink."

And Bascom stalked haughty back and took his post behind his bar.

Ther wuz consternation in the Corners sich ez I hev never seen. Ther wuz a hurried consultation at the Deekin's house, and I sedjested that we emancipate ourselves from the dominyn uv this tyrant by startin a grocery uv our own on the joint stock principle, w'ich wuz agreed to, each man agreein to contribute \$10 to the capitol stock, w'ich wud be enuff to buy a bar'l or two for a beginnin.

We wuz enthusiastic till we came to ballotin for the man to keep the place, when it wuz found insid uv my bein chosen yonaminally, ez I sedjested to be, that every man hed voted for himself. Ee not a soul uv 'em wud recede, the skeem wuz blockad rite there and finelly hed to be abandoned, and we went back to Bascom's and submittid. That tyrant hez us.

Uv course we can't stand likker dilootid in that manner. We are willin snuff to diloot the currency w'ich we pay for likker, but we want our likker full strength. We coodent help it, but that aite we signed and sent to our representative a remonstrance agin the silver bill. The Corners is now for a honest currency. Wood, Owood that we hed some uv it.

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Leave	4:00 P.M.	4:45 P.M.	4:15 M.
Lexington	6:00	2:00	11:40
Staunton	7:45	3:45	4:40
Harrisonburg	8:52	4:52	7:55
New Market	9:25	5:25	8:49
Woodstock	9:51	6:01	9:23
Strasburg	10:18	6:29	10:17
Capon Road	10:45	7:02	11:08
Winchester	10:57	7:14	11:31
Stephenson	11:43	8:00	12:43
Charlestown	12:31	8:51	2:12
Arrive Harper's Ferry	12:58	9:15	2:50
P.M. A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Washington	2:53	11:22	
Baltimore	3:50	12:45	
Philadelphia	6:08	3:50	
New York	8:25	6:12	

4:00 MIXED TRAINS NORTH

Leave Woodstock Sunday at 12:35 p.m. arrive at Harrisonburg at 3:00 p.m. On Sunday leave Woodstock at 7:04 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Leave	4:15 P.M.	4:55 P.M.	4:45 P.M.
New York	12:15 a.m.	7:15 a.m.	
Philadelphia	7:27 a.m.	8:47 a.m.	
Washington	4:00 p.m.	10:20 a.m.	
Harper's Ferry	1:30 a.m.	3:15 p.m.	
Charlestown	8:24 a.m.	1:50 p.m.	
Stephenson	9:02 a.m.	2:33 p.m.	
Winchester	9:16 a.m.	2:47 p.m.	
Capon Road	10:10 a.m.	3:31 p.m.	
Strasburg	10:29 a.m.	3:40 p.m.	
Woodstock	10:47 a.m.	4:03 p.m.	
Woodstock	11:15 a.m.	4:30 p.m.	
New Market	11:36 a.m.	4:53 p.m.	
Harrisonburg	12:13 p.m.	5:30 p.m.	
Staunton	1:02 p.m.	7:05 p.m.	
Arrive Lexington	5:51 p.m.	8:52 p.m.	

4:00 MIXED TRAINS SOUTH

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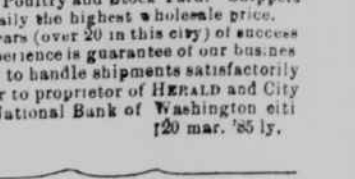
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